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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Divisional Application of:	)	
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MASAHIKO KUBOTA, et al.	)	
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Application No.: Not Yet Assigned	)	
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Filed: Concurrently Herewith	)	
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For: SOLID SEMICONDUCTOR	)	
ELEMENT, INK TANK, INK JET	:	
RECORDING APPARATUS	)	
PROVIDED WITH INK TANK,	:	
LIQUID INFORMATION	)	
ACQUIRING METHOD AND	:	
LIQUID PHYSICAL PROPERTY	)	
CHANGE DISCRIMINATING	:	August 22, 2003
METHOD	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT  
AND  
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application, as follows: